

**TO: ENVIRONMENT, CULTURE & COMMUNITIES OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY PANEL
23 MARCH 2016**

**REVIEW OF PROCEDURES FOR PLANNING APPLICATIONS AND ENFORCEMENT
OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY REPORT
Working Group Lead Member**

1 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 This report introduces the attached draft report describing the review of procedures for planning applications and enforcement undertaken by a working group of this Panel. The Panel is invited to consider and approve the report.

2 RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 **That the Panel agrees the attached report of the review of procedures for planning applications and enforcement undertaken by a working group of this Panel for sending formally to the relevant Executive Member for a response.**

3 REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 To seek the Panel's approval of the attached draft report for sending formally to the relevant Executive Member for a response.

4 ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED

- 4.1 None.

**5 ADVICE RECEIVED FROM STATUTORY AND OTHER OFFICERS / EQUALITIES
IMPACT ASSESSMENT / STRATEGIC RISK MANAGEMENT ISSUES /
CONSULTATION**

- 5.1 Not applicable.

Background Papers

None.

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